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THE MANAGER

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Hongkong, 20th November, 1901.

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QUEEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY LIMITED.

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Hongkong, 3rd December, 1902.

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THE BEST PREVENTIVE OF ALL INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

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Hongkong, 10th January, 1903.

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"OMEGA" is the best, "THREE YEARS" guarantee given to every purchaser.

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Sole Agents for Louis Audemars' Watches awarded the highest Prizes at every Exhibition, and for Voigtlander and Sohn's CELEBRATED OPERA GLASSES, MARINE GLASSES AND SPYGLASSES.

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Hongkong, 19th December, 1902.

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Hot and Cold Water throughout.

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Hongkong, 23rd October, 1902.

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THIS HOTEL, having changed hands, has been re-fitted after the style of a First-Class Foreign Hotel, with rooms on suite and single furnished with every regard to perfect comfort and convenience. The Hotel is in very close proximity to the principal Banks and Merchants' Offices.

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Hongkong, 18th December, 1902.

[1386d]

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL,

CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

Under the direction of Mr. ROBERT BROUGH, Representative.

Mr. ALLAN HAMILTON.

TUESDAY, 17th FEBRUARY.

THE BROUGH COMEDY CO.

IN

"ARE YOU A MASON?"

There is an old maxim: "The most wasted of all days is that on which one has not laughed."

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and

FRIDAY, 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th FEBRUARY.

First Production in China of

"ARE YOU A MASON?"

(By arrangement with Charles Frohman, Esq.) A Farce in Three Acts, adapted from the German by Leo Dietrichstein.

INTERPRETED BY: MRS. BROUGH, Miss Temple, Miss Susie Vaughan, Miss Brenda Gibson, Miss Helen Hogle, Miss Gillies Brown;

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SATURDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, 21st, 23rd and 24th FEBRUARY.

First Production in China of

"THE SECOND COMMAND."

(By arrangement with the author.) A Military Comedy in Four Acts, by Captain Robert Marshall.

MUSICAL DIRECTOR - MR. GEORGE BROMLKY SCENIC ARTIST - MR. CLAUDE WHITE

THE BOX PLANS for the First SIX NIGHTS of the Season will open at the ROBINSON PIANO CO. on MONDAY MORNING, 9th FEBRUARY.

Dress Circle and Orchestra Stalls, \$4.00. Stalls, \$1.00. Back Seats, \$1.00.

Doors Open 8.30. Curtain 9. Chairs, etc., at 11.30. Late Tram to the Peak as usual.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1903.

[1516c]

Entiminations.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

A ONE-DAY'S RACE MEETING will be held early in APRIL next, provided sufficient Entries are received. Particulars and Conditions as to Programme will appear later.

By Order,

A. S. ANTON,

Acting Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1903.

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HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1903.

TO-MORROW,

(TUESDAY), WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

and SATURDAY (off day).

10th, 11th, 12th and 14th February.

TICKETS OF ADMISSION to the GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE may be obtained from Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd. or at the Gate. Price \$7 for the Meeting (excluding the Off Day) or \$3 per day.

Tickets for the Off Day \$2. No one admitted without a Ticket to be shown to the Ticket Inspector at the Gate.

J. GRANT,

Secretary.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1903.

[1300c]

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE STEWARDS request the pleasure of the presence of LADIES at the GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE during the Races on the 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th instant.

An Enclosure will be reserved for Members and Members' Wives and Families, tickets for which are being sent out with the Members' Tickets.

All Tickets must be produced to gain admission.

J. GRANT,

Secretary.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1903.

[1316c]

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NO SERVANTS will be allowed inside the ENCLOSURE of the RACECOURSE during the Race Day WITHOUT TICKETS, which can be had on application to the Undersigned.

J. GRANT,

Secretary.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1903.

[1320c]

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

WANTED.

A TEACHER for St. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE. Apply by Letter to

BRO. FRANCIS,

Director,

St. Joseph's College.

No. 2, Robinson Road, Hongkong, 12th January, 1903.

Entiminations.

RACE HOLIDAYS.

THE Undersigned BANKS will OPEN for the Transaction of Public Business, at 9 A.M., and CLOSE at 11.15 A.M., TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 10th, 11th and 12th instant, respectively.

For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA, T. G. COCHRANE, Acting Manager, Hongkong.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

For the NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager.

For the MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED, E. W. ORMISTON, Acting Manager, Hongkong.

For the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, HONGKONG AGENCY, GASTON MAYER, Acting Manager.

For the YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED, TARO HODSUMI, Manager.

For the IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA, E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

For the DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK, H. FIGGE, Manager.

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For the GUARANTY TRUST CO. OF NEW YORK, E. F. GROS, Acting Manager.

For the INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION, CHAS. R. SCOTT, Manager.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1903.

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HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of 10 per cent, or \$1.50 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of Shareholders, held This Day, will be PAYABLE at The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on and after MONDAY, the 9th February, 1903.

Shareholders are requested to apply to the Office of the Company for Warrants.

By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD, Secretary.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1903.

[1522c]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of February next, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1902.

By Order of the Court of Directors, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1903.

[1946c]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 31st day of January current to the 14th day of February next, (both Days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1903.

[1956c]

THE HONGKONG MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, 13, Beaconsfield Arcade, on TUESDAY, the 17th February, 1903, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1902, and for the Election of Directors and Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. KERFOOT HUGHES, Secretary.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1903.

[1500c]

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the Association will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, on FRIDAY, the 20th February, at 5 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of passing the Accounts for 1902, electing a Committee and Officers for 1903, and to consider a proposal to amalgamate with the Army Rifle Association.

Members are earnestly requested to attend. MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1903.

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the OFFICES of the Company, Queen's Buildings, New Praya, on MONDAY, the 23rd February, 1903, at 12 o'clock NOON for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1902.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd February, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, GEO. A. CALDWELL, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 3rd February, 1903.

[1336c]

DENTISTRY.

SUI SANG, (Lately Practising with Dr. I. SAKATA), DENTIST,

No. 4, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, 3rd January, 1903.

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SANG MOW.

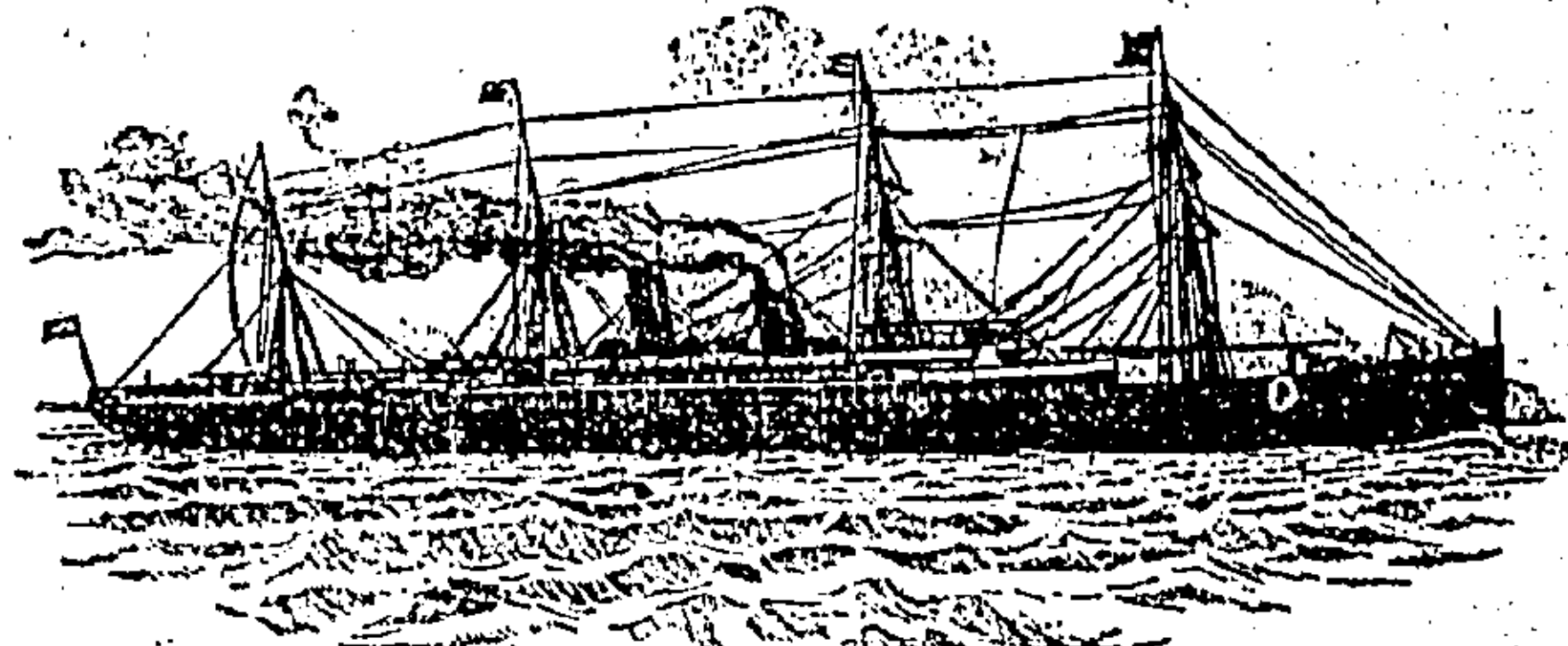
DEALER IN Rattan Furniture, Bamboo Blinds and Matting of All Colours.

No. 45, Queen's Road Central, Price Lists on Application, Orders Executed Promptly.

H'kong, 12th May, 1902. [1454c]

Mails.

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PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO., OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S.S. CO., TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA AND EUROPE.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

"COPTIC" TUESDAY, 10th February, at Noon.
"AMERICA MARU" TUESDAY, 17th February, at Noon.
"KOREA" FRIDAY, 27th February, at Noon.
"GABRIO" SATURDAY, 7th March, at Noon.
"HONGKONG MARU" TUESDAY, 17th March, at Noon.
"CHINA" TUESDAY, 24th March, at Noon.
"DORIO" WEDNESDAY, 1st April, at Noon.
"NIPPON MARU" SATURDAY, 11th April, at Noon.
"SIB-BIA" SATURDAY, 18th April, at Noon.

Record Trip Yokohama to San Francisco made by s.s. "KOREA," 12,000 tons, Oct. 18th-23th, 1902; 10 days, 15 hours.

THE O. & O. Company's Steamship "COPTIC" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, TO-MORROW, the 10th instant, at Noon, taking Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Passengers are allowed to break the journey at any point en route.

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Denison, Mrs. A. Mrs. F. W.
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VISITORS AT THE KOWLOON HOTEL.

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VISITORS AT THE QUEENS HOTEL.

Fasch, R. Jones, Mr. and Mrs.
Gerard, Capt. and 3 children
Good, I. M. S. Dr. & Mrs. Sator, Lieut.
Key, Dr. Vanderpool, Mrs.

YESTERDAY.

WEATHER REPORT.
On date at On date at
10 A.M. 4 P.M.
Barometer 30.48 30.40
Temperature 59 62
Humidity 44 47
Rainfall 0.00 0.00

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH.

1, ICE HOUSE ROAD,
HONGKONG.

CABLE ADDRESS:—Telegraph, Hongkong.

THE leading English Newspaper in China
Also widely circulated in Japan, Cochinchina, Ceylon, India and the Far East generally.

A daily newspaper with weekly edition published for despatch by the homeward mail. The daily is recommended as more generally suitable, except for subscribers in Europe or America.

A special feature is made of full and accurate reports of local occurrences, and of matters of general interest.

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The Hongkong Telegraph is the best medium for advertising in China. It circulates largely among all classes of the community, is the largest daily newspaper and has a wider circulation than any journal in the Far East.

Special attention given to effectively displaying advertisements.

The type used as a standard for setting advertisements is similar to this, unless we are instructed to display the advertisement, when any effective style of type will be adopted. This standard runs exactly eight lines to the inch, and about eight words to the line.

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(per inch.)

One week.....	\$ 2.85
One month.....	7.20
Two months.....	13.00
Three ".....	20.00
Six ".....	37.50
Twelve ".....	73.00

No charge less than one dollar.

Discount allowed on—

3 Months Contracts.....	5 per cent.
6 ".....	10 "
12 ".....	25 "

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

Notices of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.
\$1 each insertion in the Daily and Weekly.

CONTRACT ADVERTISEMENTS.

Special Rates for standing advertisements can be ascertained from the Manager.

Advertisements for the Daily should reach the Hongkong Telegraph Office not later than noon of the day they are intended to appear.

Unless otherwise specified all advertisements will be repeated and charged for until countermanded.

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Job Printing of all descriptions undertaken.

PROGRAMMES.

PAMPHLETS.

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All job printing is done under European supervision, well turned out, free from errors, and remarkably cheap at

THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

Estimates given for all classes of work on application to

THE MANAGER,
HONGKONG TELEGRAPH CO., LD.
1, Ice House Road,
Hongkong.

Intimations.



SOMETHING ABOUT "BARGAINS IN GLASSES."

There is no such thing as "bargains" in eye glasses. Glasses which are worth "\$1 for this week only" are not worth any more the next week or any other week, in fact they are never worth the money asked for, or better still are too dear at any price. Your eyes need a thorough examination by a reliable Eye Specialist before you get your glasses, and this examination is worth some money. To get the right glasses is worth everything—wearing wrong glasses means killing your eyesight. Your eyes are your life and no bargain-counter article.

One charge covers the entire cost of examination, glasses and frames.

N. LAZARUS,
OPHTHALMIC OPTICIAN
OF LONDON AND CALCUTTA.

Consulting Room:
No. 16, Queen's Road Central.

Entrance through Mr. R. Houghton's Tailoring Establishment, nearly opposite Hongkong Hotel.

WHY PAY

\$5

to have your Bicycle renovated when you can buy a tin of ALUMINUM PAINT for \$1.25? It contains sufficient material to make two old Machines like new.

IMPORTED BY

RITCHIE & Co.,

39, Des Voeux Road.

Hongkong 28th January, 1903. (1567d)

FURNITURE WAREHOUSE.

LI KWONG LOONG,

李廣隆

CABINET-MAKER AND ART DECORATOR, from Shanghai, has opened a FURNITURE STORE

No. 17, QUEEN'S ROAD.

The only Shop in Hongkong with this name.

WHERE HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE of every description can be made to order in any design required.

Has been patronised by the Hongkong Club, Hongkong Hotel, Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., Joint Telegraphs Cos., and other leading Establishments in the Colony, to whom reference may be made as to the Superior Workmanship and Materials of the Furniture, &c., supplied.

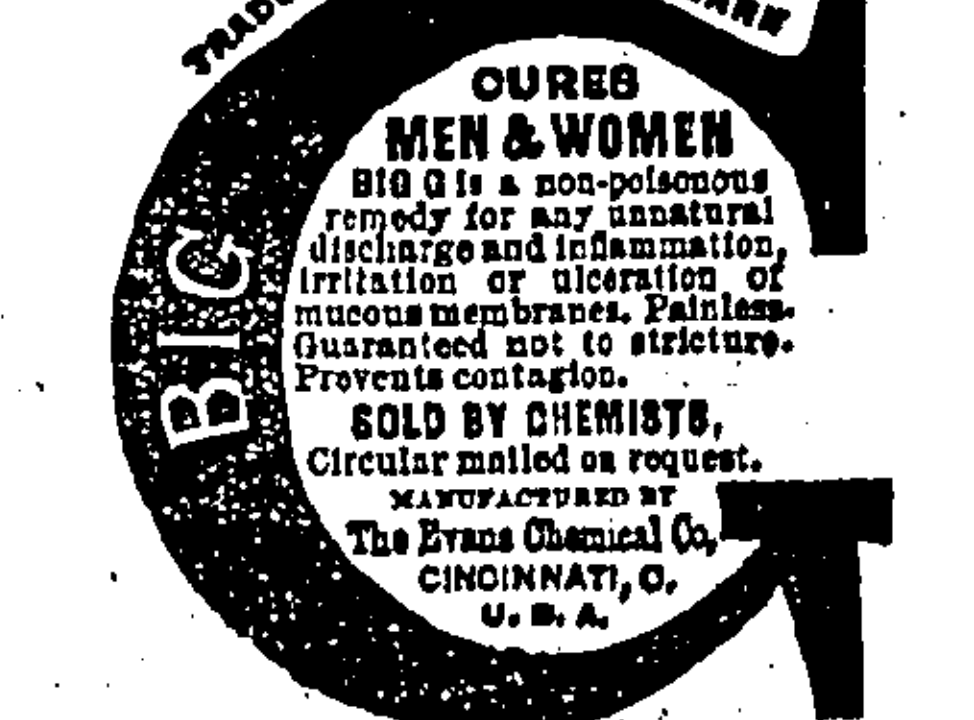
Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co. write as follows:—"We have pleasure in stating that Mr. LI KWONG LOONG furnished the Annex to our Dispensary and gave us every satisfaction."

(Sd.) A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.

ORDERS punctually attended to, and CHARGES most moderate.

AN INSPECTION INVITED.

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DEATHS.

On the 2nd February, at Chinkiang the wife of LOUI ROCHER, Commissioner of Customs, of a daughter.

On the 24th January, at Tsingtau, Mrs. ALFRED ST. SIMMONS, wife of a daughter.

On the 2nd February, at 26, The Pond, Shanghai, the wife of C. S. ALDIS, of a daughter.

On the 4th February, at the Victoria Nursing Home, Shanghai, the wife of E. WILLIAMS ROWLAND, I.M. Customs, of a son (Gordon).

MARRIAGE.

On 9th February, 1903, at St. John's Cathedral by the Rev. J. T. JOHNSON, M.A., assisted by the Rev. E. H. GOOD, M.A., R.N., JOSEPH, eldest son of the late H. D. C. HOOPER, solicitor, Brixton, to MADEL ELIZABETH daughter of G. J. B. SAYER, Civil Engineer, I.M. Naval Yard, Hongkong. [159c]

DEATHS.

At Shanghai on the 1st inst., FERDINAND LEOPOLD SIEMER in the 4th year of his age.

At the Isolation Hospital, Shanghai, on Wednesday, 4th inst., Miss MILDRED YORKE, aged 22.

At Government Civil Hospital, on 7th February, 2.30 p.m., GEORGINA MATINA, the dearly-beloved wife of A. W. J. SIMMONS, I.P.W. Dept., aged 30 years. Deeply regretted. [162c]

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1903.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Card mounts and card board in the very latest designs at Le Munyon's.—Adv.

YESTERDAY afternoon at West Point a burglar attempting to evade arrest, fell and sustained injuries, necessitating his removal to Hospital.

THE O. S. K. s.s. *Tschi Maru*, which has been for some months ashore above Hankow, has been floated, the Nagasaki engineers having succeeded in dragging her 850 feet to the water.

MRS. Georgina Matina Simmons, wife of Mr. A. W. J. Simmons, I.P.W.D., died at the Government Civil Hospital on Saturday afternoon. The funeral took place this afternoon.

A RETURN match between the Craigenower Cricket Club and the Sherwood Foresters, was played at the Happy Valley on Saturday. The Craigenower won, making 166 runs for six wickets, against 56 runs by their opponents.

THE *New York Maritime Register* of the 24th December reports that the biggest iceberg on record was seen off the Horn on the 20th of September last by the British ship *Angley*, from Newcastle to San Francisco. It was approximately 100 miles long and 400 feet high.

In view of the recrudescence of plague, the Sanitary Board authorities have detailed three senior sanitary inspectors to deal with the disease, apart from their ordinary duties. Each of these inspectors, with a number of temporary inspectors, foremen, and coolies under them are in charge of two districts.

RETURN of visitors to the City Hall Library and Museum for the week ending 8th February, 1903:—

	Library	Museum
Non-Chinese.....	307	103
Chinese.....	61	6,766
Total.....	368	6,869

A DISPATCH from Foochow states that Viceroy Hsu Ying-kuei of that city has been so successful in producing last year large quantities of superior smokeless powder that H.E. has ordered the early construction of a gun foundry in the vicinity of the powder works. For this purpose fourteen artisans and artificers from the Canton Arsenal and a similar number from the Foochow Arsenal here have been engaged the whole to be placed under a European expert.

THE Sanitary Board authorities have recently instituted a new departure regarding the tuition of their inspectors. Lectures are given every Tuesday and Friday nights in the Queen's College, by Drs. Clark and Peace, before the whole staff of the Sanitary Board inspectors by means of illustrations, etc., the lectures dealing on water, the use of uncooked vegetables, plague bacillus, anopheles mosquito and other subjects are made instructive as well as extremely interesting.

THE financial statement of the Naigai Wata Kabushiki Kaisha (Home and Foreign Cotton Trading Co., Ltd.) of Osaka at the close of business on the 31st of December last, shows the total assets of the company, 2,876,087 yen, and a divisible balance of profit of 171,937 yen. It is proposed to pay a dividend of 5 per cent, absorbing 40,000 yen, and a bonus of 24,500 yen, to put 620,000 yen to reserve and 31,000 yen to dividend equalisation fund, and carry forward the balance, 6,937 yen.

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For rifling the pocket of a soldier whilst asleep in Camp D Blocks, a native tailor, who was detected by the mess-room boy, was sentenced to one-month's hard labour.

THE British storeship *Humber* arrived from Wei-hai-wei on Friday. The German cruiser *Hansa* left for Amoy on Saturday. The United States *Isle de Cuba* and *Rainbow* arrived from Manila yesterday.

MESSES. Dodwell and Co., Ltd., inform the *N. C. D.* that they are in receipt of a cable to the effect that the str. *Sagami*, from New York, for China and Japan, has had to put in to Cadiz, a fire having broken out on board. The damage to the cargo has not yet been ascertained, but they understand it is likely to be serious. The *Sagami* (Capt. Appleton) is a new steamer, of 2,017 tons' register, and left New York for China and Japan, via Norfolk, on the 27th December.

BEFORE a large gathering of Europeans and Chinese, another exhibition of the Killyre compound was given directly in front of the Central Market at noon to-day. A huge box, well saturated with kerosene and filled with paper and other inflammable matter, was placed on the ground and on being ignited was soon enveloped in flames. A bottleful of the Killyre compound was thrown into the flames when they were at their highest, and the fire was speedily extinguished.

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"ONE great question, before which all else pales," said Dr. Morrison, the Peking correspondent of *The Times*, when interviewed at Sydney, "is the value of the dollar, which is lower than ever before. Siam and another bordering State have adopted the gold standard, which intensifies China's dilemma. China having to pay the Japan war indemnity in gold at a time when silver is so low creates a serious problem, about which it is hard to forecast."

THE following telegraphic information, dated 2nd inst., has been received from the Sumatra Director and Manager of the Maatschappij tot Mijn Boschen Landbouwexploitatie in Langkat, Ld.:—

Daily aggregate output of Crude Petroleum..... 54,000 Cases.

Kerosene made since the date of the preceding half-monthly telegram..... 35,000 Cases.

Kerosene shipped since the date of the preceding half-monthly telegram..... 27,000 Cases.

Kerosene in Stock at Refinery at date..... 88,000 Cases.

BEFORE Mr. J. H. Kemp this morning, Adel Callithe, a European spinster hailing from Spain, was charged with being disorderly incapable, and under the influence of liquor on the 8th instant at Kowloon. In her defence she stated that on that day she felt rather low spirited and thought a little liquor would brace her up, but as soon as she had taken the stimulant, she staggered, and was promptly arrested by an Indian constable. In view of her frequent appearance at the Police Court on similar charges the Magistrate fined her \$3. or ten days, and bound her over in the sum of \$100 to keep the public peace for a period of six months.

A VERY pretty wedding took place this afternoon at St. John's Cathedral, the contracting parties being Miss M. E. Sayer, second daughter of Mr. G. J. B. Sayer, of the Royal Naval Yard, and Mr. J. Hooper, of the Kowloon Godowns, nephew to Mr. A. S. Hooper, secretary of the Hongkong Land Investment Company, Limited. Punctually at three the bride, accompanied by her father, arrived at the entrance to the Cathedral and on proceeding up the aisle, the organ pealed forth the Wedding March. The marriage ceremony was conducted by the Rev. F. T. Johnson, assisted by Rev. Good, R.N., with the whole of the members of the choir in attendance. The bride was given away by her father, and Mr. Tibbey acted as the bridegroom's best man. The bridesmaids were Misses E. Sayer, G. Hinds, and P. Drew. After the marriage ceremony had been completed the newly wedded couple were met at the door by their relatives and friends, and congratulations were showered upon them. A reception was subsequently held at Chater's Bungalow, Kowloon, kindly lent for the occasion, and many costly and beautiful presents were displayed. The couple will spend their honeymoon by making a round trip to Macao, Canton and the West River.

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THE FIRE BELL.

Between noon and one o'clock yesterday afternoon, as churchgoers were returning home, the fire bell commenced its clanging. The Brigade lost no time in hurrying to the scene of alarm. No. 371 Queen's Road Central, where they tackled the configuration without delay. Some jars of samshu in the basement had overturned and accidentally been set alight by a candle. Although the Brigade soon overcame the flames it was a disagreeable underground task, described by Inspector A. Mackie as like working in the hold of a ship. The basement, which is considerably damaged, is insured in the Sun On Company for \$7,300. The damage to the ground floor is slight and is covered in the Union Fire.

The Brigade were again turned out at ten o'clock last night. This time, however, the mishap did not prove to be of a very serious nature. A youngster, on the second floor of No. 10 Mercer's Street, had set fire to a mosquito curtain, and the flames were extinguished by the Police and inmates of the house.

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HONGKONG RACES, 1903.

FIRST DAY'S PROGRAMME.

TUESDAY, 10TH FEBRUARY, 1903.

THE WONG-NEI-CHONG STAKES.—A Sweepstakes of \$10 each with \$350 added. Second to receive \$150; and third \$50. For Hongkong walters and Hongkong water griffins. Weight for inches as per scale. Hongkong walters which have never won a race allowed 5 lbs. Griffins allowed 10 lbs. Five furlongs.

THE VALLEY STAKES.—A Sweepstakes of \$10 each with \$350 added. Winner to receive 70 per cent; second 20 per cent; and third 10 per cent. For China griffins. Weight for inches as per scale. Three quarters of a mile.

THE MAIDEN STAKES.—Winner to receive \$70; second \$150; and third \$50. For Hongkong walters griffins. Weight for inches as per scale. A winner at this meeting 5 lbs. extra. Entrance \$10. Three quarters of a mile.

THE VICTORIA STAKES.—Winner to receive \$500; second \$150; and third \$50. For China ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. China griffins allowed 10 lbs. Subscription griffins of Foochow 1902 and Amoy 1903 meetings allowed 5 lbs. Entrance \$10. One mile.

THE FOCHOW CUP.—A sweepstakes of \$10 each with \$500 added; second to receive \$150; and third \$50. For walters. Weight for inches as per scale. Previous winners at this meeting 7 lbs. extra. Hongkong walters which have never won a race allowed 5 lbs. Griffins allowed 10 lbs. From the two-mile post once round and in.

THE HONGKONG DERBY.—A Sweepstakes of \$20 each with \$1,500 added. (Half forfeit if declared on or before the day of closing entries for the meeting.) Winner to receive 70 per cent; second 20 per cent; and third 10 per cent. For Hongkong walters griffins. Weight for inches as per scale. One mile and a half.

THE LUSITANO CUP.—Presented by the members of the Club Lusitano. Second to receive \$150; and third \$50. For China ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. A previous winner 5 lbs. extra. Entrance \$10. One mile.

THE HONGKONG CLUB CUP.—Presented by the members of the Hongkong Club. Second to receive \$150; and third \$50. For China ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Winner of the Victoria Stakes 5 lbs. extra. China griffins allowed 10 lbs. Subscription griffins of Foochow 1902 and Amoy 1903 meetings allowed 5 lbs. Entrance \$10. One mile and a half.

THE ENCOURAGEMENT STAKES.—A sweepstakes of \$10 each with \$500 added. Second to receive \$150; and third \$50. For Hongkong walters griffins. Weight for inches as per scale. Previous winners barred. Five furlongs.

THE CHINESE CLUB CUP.—Presented by the members of the Chinese Club. Second to receive \$150; and third \$50. For China griffins. Weight for inches as per scale. Previous winners barred. Entrance \$10. One mile and a quarter.

TURF TOPICS.

To with 54 Sunday's gallops there turned out quite a large crowd, made up principally of owners with their wives and friends, and all the jockeys. Representatives of the Bank's stable were late in emerging from their stalls. This was accounted for by the delayed arrival of Mr. Hurkill, the crack rider from Shanghai, who was, however, seen steering his mount over the green sod shortly after noon.

To-day the attendance was poor, and gallops did not cover distances longer than shop quarters and half. They were not done so much for time as to serve as warmers for tomorrow.

Records are as usual given to-day and I make bold to append also a few of my "fancies" or to-morrow's event.

8th February.

Mistif, mile and a quarter, 30, 1.17, 1.54, 2.29, 3.03.

Countess, one mile, (3), 1.04, 1.34, 2.01.

Will o' the Wisp, 5 furlongs, 1.18; last, 29.

Manhattan and *Martinez*, one and a quarter miles, 36, 1.13, 1.47, 2.20, 2.56; *Martinez*, last 31.

Velvet, half mile, 33, 1.06.

Silver Fox 2, *Companion* 1, three-quarter mile, 32, 1.05, 1.39.

Flickamaroo (shoes off), mile and a quarter, 35, 1.07, finishing 2.48.

No Trump (half mile), *Snowdrop*, (Moller up), 36, 1.10, 1.44, 2.17.

Ray Ronald, one mile, 30, 1.01, 1.32, 2.00.

Wallflower, 5 furlongs, 1.11.

Devonport, mile and a quarter, 36, 1.16, 1.56, 2.33, 3.06.

Rebel King, mile and a quarter, last (three quarters), 37, 1.10, 1.44.

Pandur, mile and a quarter, 36, 1.0, 1.42, 2.16, 2.50; last mile, 2.15.

Desert King, one mile, 31, 1.11, 1.43, 2.15, 4.5.

Chester, mile and a quarter, 32, 1.02, 1.33, 2.03, 2.31.

Finella, mile and a half, 34, 1.04, 1.35, 2.06, 2.36, 3.07.

9th February.

Mayfly, quarter mile, 26.

Runaway Girl, half mile, last 26.5.

Sequoia, half mile, 29, 56.

Legs, quarter mile, 25.

Winning Rose, quarter mile, 25.

Fay, quarter mile, 26.

Glory, quarter mile, 27.

Ichiban, quarter mile, 26.

Vanity, 28.

Remnant, 28.

School Girl, 28.

Brilliant, three-quarter mile, 34, 1.04, 1.34, looked as if weak in the off leg, but with a good warming in trotting and cantering, he will be brought round to win the Derby.

Tyso, quarter mile, 29.

Clare, quarter mile, 28.

Lady Lou was not seen on the course.

CHINA PONIES.

Desert King, quarter mile, 29.

Musket and Starling, quarter mile, 30, and then 31.

Jigoku, quarter mile, 34 and then 29.

Clairant, quarter mile, 29.

Rare Rose, quarter mile, 30 and then 28.4.

Algeria, quarter mile, 28.

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Devonport, 11, 32.

Fancy, quarter mile, 33, and then 30.

Manhattan and *Martinez*, quarter mile, 30, and then 32.

Sinbad, half mile, 33, 1.05.

The following are my selections for tomorrow's events:—

THE WONG-NEI-CHONG STAKES.—1 Mayfly; 2 Glory; 3 Lady Lena.

THE VALLEY STAKES.—1 Muscatel; 2 Companion; 3 Jigoku.

THE MAIDEN STAKES.—1 Legacy (if she runs) or Winning Rose; 2 Finella; 3 Lady Lena.

THE VICTORIA STAKES.—1 Algerie; 2 Rare Rose; 3 Desert King.

THE FOCHOW CUP.—1 Runaway Girl; 2 Bay Ronald; 3 Remnant.

THE HONGKONG DERBY.—1 Brilliant; 2 Legacy; 3 Chee Sai.

THE LUSITANO CUP.—1 Companion; 2 Flickamaroo; 3 Jigoku.

THE HONGKONG CLUB CUP.—1 Rare Rose; 2 Algerie; 3 Pandur.

THE ENCOURAGEMENT STAKES.—1 Winning Rose; 2 Pirate; 3 Finella.

THE CHINESE CLUB CUP.—1 Flickamaroo; 2 Jigoku; 3 Companion.

Monday evening.

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MORE COMIC OPERA.

BY THE LILLIPUTIANS.

Lillard's band of little merry-makers continue to delight packed houses with every promise of adding much to our week of festivities. The large audience that filled the house when *The Belle of New York* occupied the boards on Thursday and Friday showed no sign of diminishing on Saturday afternoon and evening when Planquette's nautical opera *Paul Jones* was staged. Neither at the matinee nor subsequent performance were seats obtainable by the time the curtain was rung up, and those who performed had standing room only and saw the play above the heads of others in front without doubt the advantage of the booking facilities to secure a seat and obtain a better view of the play and that, under more comfortable circumstances. On Saturday the band of H.M.S. *Ocean* played up the curtain on a view of the quay at St. Malo or, to be more precise, outside of the Cod's Head Inn, at that French seaport. And then the story of Paul Jones commenced to be unwoven, and throughout the piece there was no lack of dancers, there was admirable music, there were costumes galore and, as we have already stated, there was an enormous attendance of spectators. Most of us had already seen the slapdash romance, and were only too pleased to renew our acquaintance with the jolly characters. Others who have not yet listened to the sweetly fascinating music, or laughed at the humour of the play have two opportunities of so doing—to-night and to-morrow. To Miss Ivy Trott, who delighted us as *Kissie Flanagan* in *The Belle* was allotted the title role, and it is not overestimating her worth in asserting that she took the part and looked the part to perfection. In fact, she proved a dashing pirate chief. Both her singing and acting were very creditable, and for the vocal items especially she received rounds of unstinted applause. With the solos, *Upon a lee shore*, and *Ever and Anon* she delighted the house, and had encored been permitted she would have given a repetition. Pretty Miss Alice Pollard made *Yvonne* a delightful character both in the interpretation of the part and, more so perhaps, in the vocal items. Her solo *Before the Altar* and *The Shipping News*, with Master Willie Thomas, as *Bicoquet*, were among the hits of the evening and, in both instances, the audience clamoured for an encore. Little Willie is an interesting and amusing young gentleman and sustains the humour with credit. But Master Jack and Miss Daphne Pollard as *Bouillabaisse*, and *Petit Pierre*, were the essence of comicality. They kept the house in roars of laughter, Master Jack, as the burly fisherman and smuggler, and little Miss Daphne, as his cute apprentice, aptly designated "The Insect." They filled the parts well, and drew a laugh whenever they appeared from behind the wings. One has but to imagine a little tot of seven or eight years in the garb of a fisherman, swaggering about with coils of rope, and drawing at a short "cudgie," or pulling away at a black bottle. His elder brother, not much taller and just as antiquated in his ways, has plenty to do, and the two make a funny pair. Their catchy duettes *Mariners' Hold*, and *Im Bouillabaisse*, *Im Petit Pierre* were irresistible and everyone voted the popular little favourites among the best in the piece. The *Lullaby Waves*, rendered by Miss Irene Loftus, as *Ruffino de Martinez*, was another vocal score of the evening, and added charm to the impersonation of the shipping clerk by this talented actress. She is a young lady who knows the requirements of every part entrusted to her, and judging from her *Blinky Bill* *McQuirk*, in the *Belle of New York*, and her impersonation of *Ruffino*, she is on the right road to success. Master Oscar Heims, in the rôle of *Don Trocadero*, the Governor of Estrella, made the last act his own, and raised laughter upon laughter, which was only increased by the eccentric dance of the madly merry and mercurial *Don*. The *Chopinette* of Miss Connie Pollard, and the *Allegretto* of Miss Topping were dainty performances, especially that of the former whose sabot dance and pretty song were capital items. The other parts were carefully sustained, and added joy to the pleasant hours spent in front of the footlights. A word of praise must be accorded the management for the excellent staging of the piece. The scenery was really good, that in the second act, where we visit the garden of *Bicoquet's* house at St. Malo, being unusually fine. Then the costumes were by no means

the least noteworthy feature of the staging, and, added to this, the pretty limelight effect (from an unsightly machine in the dress circle) one has a play well set and worth seeing.

Appended is the full cast:—

Paul Jones..... Miss Ivy Trott

Ruffino de Martinez..... Miss Irene Loftus

Bicoquet..... (Yvonne's Uncle) Master Willie Thomas and Guardian

Bouillabaisse..... (Fisherman and Smuggler) Master Jack Pollard

Petit Pierre..... (His apprentice) Miss Daphne Pollard

Im Petit Pierre..... (The Insect) Miss Connie Pollard

Im Trocadero..... (Captain of a Privateer) Master C. Hindle

Im Trocadero..... (Fisherman) Miss Nellie McNamara

Custom House Officer..... Master Fred Pollard

Don Trocadero, (Governor of Estrella) Master Oscar Heims

Yvonne..... (a Page) Miss Florie Sharp

Yvonne..... (Bicoquet's Ward) Miss Alice Pollard

Chopinette..... (Wife of Bouillabaisse) Miss Connie Pollard

Malagueña..... (Yvonne's Nurse) Miss May Topping

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S.S. "CHINGWO" left Singapore yesterday and is expected here 8th February.
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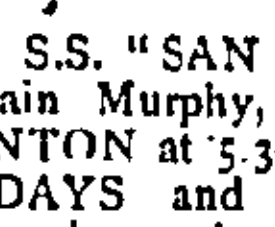
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BRUNHILDE, German steamer, 857, Selk, 31st Jan., Sandak 1st Jan., Lumber and General—Sander, Wieler & Co.
BURNSIDE, American transport, 1,408, A. H. Saffin, 25th Jan., Manila, P.I. 28th Jan., Ballast—Order.
CHIANGSHU, British steamer, 1,463, J. M. D. Howie, 3rd Feb., Sydney 13th Jan., and Manila 31st, General—Butterfield & Swire.
CHINA, German steamer, 1,118, E. Kribbe, 31st Jan., Samarang 19th Jan., Sugar—E. A. Trading Co.
CHINKIANG, British steamer, 1,229, Brym, 3rd Feb., Canton 2nd Feb., General—Butterfield & Swire.
CHUNSHAN, British steamer, 1,412, Thos. Arthur, 6th Feb., Kuchinozu 31st Jan., Coal—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
COMPTON, British steamer, 2,744, F. E. Beadnell, N.R.R. 1st Feb., San Francisco 3rd Jan., Honolulu 10th, Yokohama 23rd, Kobe 24th, Nagasaki 27th, and Shanghai 29th, Mails and General—O. & S. S. Co.
DAGMAR, Norwegian steamer, 383, A. Salvesen, 28th Jan., Canton 27th Jan., General—Order.
DOYO MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,343, K. Asary, 3rd Feb., Moji 31st Jan., General and Coal—Chinsee.
DUKE OF FIFE, British steamer, 2,416, J. S. Cox, 29th Jan., Tacoma 24th Dec., General—Doddwell & Co., Ltd.
EMMA LUVKEN, German steamer, 1,116, H. Martens, 2nd Feb., Saigon 28th Jan., E. A. Trading Co.
EMPRESS OF INDIA, British steamer, 3,904, O. P. Marshall, R.N.R., 20th Jan., Vancouver 29th Dec., and Shanghai 17th Jan., Mails and General—C. P. R. Co.
GERMAN A, German steamer, 1,714, Bendixen, 4th Feb., Java 25th Jan., Sugar—Jensen & Co.
GLENGGLE, British steamer, 2,399, G. E. Warner, R.N.R., 2nd Feb., Tacoma via P.O. and Moji 29th Jan., Flour—Doddwell & Co., Ltd.
HANSHAN, British steamer, 999, Mawley, 4th Feb., Canton 4th Feb., General—Butterfield & Swire.
HANOI, French steamer, 739, P. Merles, 29th Jan., Haiphong 27th Jan., General—A. R. Marly.
HOLSTEIN, German steamer, 955, H. Lorenzen, 30th Jan., Saigon 25th Jan., Rice and Flour—Jensen & Co.
KALING, British steamer, 1,112, J. Speed, 7th Feb., Canton 6th Feb., General—Butterfield & Swire.
KUMSANG, British steamer, 1,078, E. J. Buller, 4th Feb., Singapore 28th Jan., General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
LABOR, Norwegian steamer, 949, J. Jensen, 4th Feb., Chin-wang-tao 28th Jan., Coal—Order.
LOOSON, German steamer, 1,021, W. Möller, 4th Feb., Bangkok 26th Jan., Rice and General—Butterfield & Swire.
MADELINE RICKERS, German steamer, 1,030, T. Landers, 3rd Feb., Bangkok 26th Jan., Rice—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.
MARIE JENSEN, German steamer, 1,771, H. Bendixen, 2nd Feb., Singapore 24th Jan., Rice—Jensen & Co.
NANSHAN, British steamer, 1,299, E. F. Stovell, 2nd Feb., Saigon 28th Jan., Rice—Bradley & Co.
PICCOLA, German steamer, 875, E. Möller, 5th Feb., Saigon 28th Jan., Rice and General—E. A. Trading Co.
RIJUN MARU, Japanese steamer, 2,980, N. Ohno, 1st Feb., Seattle 30th Dec., via Victoria, Yokohama, Kobe, F.M.J. and Shanghai 29th Jan., General—Nippon Yusen Kaisha.
ROSETTA MARU, Japanese steamer, 3,475, N. Tate, 5th Feb., Manila 3rd Feb., General—Toyo Kisen Kaisha.
SAVOIA, German steamer, 1,631, Rebbeimund, 30th Jan., Vladivostok and Moji 25th Jan., Coal—Siemssen & Co.
SENECA, British steamer, 3,171, C. Heynor, 5th Feb., New York 12th Dec., Kerosene—Standard Oil Co.
SENSA, Norwegian steamer, 979, H. Borge, 15th Jan., Sourabaya 3rd Jan., Sugar—Sander, Wieler & Co.
SLEIPNER, Norwegian steamer, 863, D. Rødd, 15th Feb., Moji 29th Jan., Coal—E. A. Trading Co.
SUNKIANG, British steamer, 1,021, A. W. Outerbridge, 31st Jan., Manila 28th Jan., General—Butterfield & Swire.
TAI LEE, German steamer, 939, Michelson, 2nd Feb., Sourabaya 22nd Jan., Sugar—Meyer & Co.
TELEMACHUS, British steamer, 1,340, J. Williamson, 1st Feb., Saigon 28th Jan., Rice and Flour—Butterfield & Swire.
THALES, British steamer, 820, A. J. Robson, 7th Feb., Swatow 6th Feb., General—Douglas, Lapraik & Co.
THOMAS, Norwegian steamer, 984, Thomasen, 2nd Feb., Saigon 28th Jan., Rice—E. A. Trading Co.
ULABRAND, Norwegian steamer, 1,269, S. Andersen, 3rd Feb., Manila 30th Jan., General—Order.
YUENSANG, British steamer, 1,128, H. P. Rolfe, R.N.R., 3rd Feb., Manila 31st Jan., General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

STEAMERS.
EVIE J. RAY, American bark, 918, Kasten, 12th Dec., Rajang 17th Oct., Timber—Sander, Wieler & Co.
GROSVENOR, British bark, 516, Boga, 14th June, Mauritius 16th January, Sugar—Abdulla & Co.
LOTHUR, Italian bark, 794, Antonio M. Schiaffino, 4th Dec., from Callao (Peru), General—Order.
SRAND, American schooner, 660, J. C. Dow, 4th Feb., Manila 31st Jan., Ballast—Order.

SAILING VESSELS.
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PROJECTED SAILINGS.

DESTINATION.	VESSELS.	DATE.
Anping, &c.	Manchuria Maru	Feb. 18
Bombay, &c.	Nagashima Maru	Feb. 24
Bremen, &c.	Chosen	April 15
"	Nagashima	Mar. 29
"	Byern	Mar. 13
"	Preussen	Mar. 21
"	Hutgart	Feb. 18
"	Hamburg	Mar. 18
"	Prinz Heinrich	April 1
"	Roon	May 27
"	P. R. Luipold	June 11
Cebu & Hilo	Kailong	Feb. 14
Fuamoe, &c.	Austria	Feb. 17
Foochow, &c.	Yunging Maru	Feb. 11
Havre & Hamburg	Wurzberg	Feb. 15
"	C. Fred. Laeisz	Feb. 26
"	Hamburg	Mar. 10
"	Andalusia	Mar. 24
"	Königsberg	April 7
"	ambian	Feb. 21
Kobe	Kailang	Feb. 11
Kobe & Yokohama	Soukwa Maru	Feb. 13
Liverpool	Inaba Maru	Feb. 27
"	Kingick	Mar. 20
"	Dardanus	Feb. 21
London	Telemachus	Feb. 10
"	Machon	Mar. 17
"	Prometheus	Feb. 17
"	Diomed	Mar. 3
"	Glauco	Mar. 31
"	Ceylon	Feb. 18
"	Comorand	Feb. 14
Marseilles, &c.	Malta	Mar. 28
"	Pyrrhus	Feb. 28
"	Pomfret	Feb. 28
"	Sanuki Maru	Feb. 21
Manila	Rohi Maru	Feb. 18
"	Rosetta Maru	Feb. 13
"	Rubi	Feb. 13
"	Zafiro	Feb. 20
"	Sunkiang	Feb. 12
"	Yuensang	Feb. 10
Moji, &c.	Bombay Maru	Feb. 21
Nagasaki, &c.	Kumano Maru	Feb. 27
New York	Shimosa	Feb. 28
"	Indradeco	Feb. 10
"	Gibraltar	Feb. 19
Portland, (Or.)	Indrapura	Feb. 25
"	Indrasamha	Mar. 16
"	Indravelli	April 10
San Francisco, &c.	Sibiria	April 18
"	Gaelic	Mar. 7
"	Coptic	Feb. 17
"	Korea	Feb. 27
"	Hongkong Maru	Mar. 17
"	China	Mar. 24
"	Doric	April 1
"	Ambera Maru	Feb. 17
"	Nippon Maru	April 11
Shanghai, &c.	Bengal	Feb. 14
"	Hunan	Feb. 11
"	Woosung	Feb. 13
Singapore, &c.	Kumsang	Feb. 12
Swatow	Thales	Feb. 10
Swatow, &c.	Dajin Maru	Feb. 15
"	Dajin Maru	Feb. 22
Sydney, &c.	Finan	Feb. 16
"	Changsha	Mar. 7
"	Chingtu	April 4
"	Faiyuan	April 22
"	Kuga Maru	Feb. 27
"	Emire	Mar. 5
Tientsin, &c.	Nanchang	Feb. 29
Vancouver, &c.	Empress of Japan	Mar. 11
"	Empress of China	April 1
"	Empress of India	Feb. 11
"	Athenia	Mar. 18
"	Tartar	Feb. 25
Victoria, B.C.	Shawmut	Feb. 17
"	Lyra	Mar. 10
"	Victoria	Mar. 17
"	Achilles	Feb. 21
"	Riojun Maru	Feb. 10
"	Iyo Maru	Feb. 24
Yokohama, &c.	Candia	Feb. 22
"	Nippon	Feb. 17

HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.

Corrected to Thursday, February 5th, 1903.
At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.

BUTCHER MEAT.	Cents.
Beef sirloin & prime cut—Mei Lung Pa lb	16
" Corned—Ham Ngau Yuk	16
" Roast—Shiu	16
" Soup, Tong Yuk	12
" Steak—Ngau Yuk Pa	16
" Sausages—Ngau Yuk Chang	15
Bullock's Brains—Kwong per set	45
" Tongue fresh—Ngau Li	45
" Corned—Ham Ngau Li	50
" Head—Ngau Tau	60
" Heart—Ngau Sum	8
" Hump, Salt—Ngau Kin	12
" Feet—Ngau Kerk	6
" Kidneys—Ngau Yiu	8
" Tail—Ngau Mei	16
" Liver—Ngau Con	16
" Tripe—undressed—Ngau To	5
Calves' Head and Feet—Ngau-chai	75
" Tongue—Yang Pai Kwat	23
" Leg—Yang Pei	20
" Shoulder—Yang Shau	20
Pigs' Chittlings—Chu cheong	7
" Feet—Chi Keok	12
" Fry—Chi Chik	12
" Head—Chi Tau	14
" Pearl—Chi Sum	9
" Kidneys—Chi Yiu	16
" Liver—Chi Kon	16
" Pork, Chop—Chi Pai Kwat	18
" Corned—Ham Chi Yuk	18
" Leg—Chu Pei	18
" Fat or Lard—Chu Yau	15
Sleepers' Head and Feet—Yang Tau	50
" Keok	50
" Heart—Yang Sum	12
" Kidneys—Yang Yiu	9
" Liver—Yang Con	9
Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai	16
" Suet, Beef—Sang Ngau Yau	18
" Mutton—Sang Ngau Yau	22
" Veal—Ngau Chai Yuk	16
" Sausages—Ngau Chai Yuk Tong	15

POULTRY.	
Chicken—Kai Chai	1b
Capons, Large, Small—Sin Kai	"
Ducks—Ap	"
Doves—Pan Kau	each
Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan	per doz.
Fowls, Canton—Kai	"
" Hainan—Hoi Nam Kai	"
Geese—Ngo	"
Goose, Wild Shanghai—Sheung Hoi Ye	pair
Musk Deer—Wong Keng	each
Hare—Tu Chai	"
Partridge—Chi Khoo	"
Pheasant—Shan Kai	pair

Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kup	each	\$ 30
Hoihow—Hoihow Pak Kup	"	28
Quail—Um Chub	"	9
Rice Birds—Wo Fa Cheuk	dozen	15
Snipe—Sa Chui	each	55
Turkeys, 1 cock—Fo Kai Kung	"	40
" Hen—Na	"	50
Wild Ducks, Shanghai, Sui-ap	each	1.30
Teal, Shanghai, Sui Ap Chai	each	50
Wild Ducks Canton—Sang Shing Sui	each	80
Apea	per pair	

FRUITS.		
Almond—Hung Yan	lb	20
Apples, (California)—Kam San Ping Ko.....	lb	42
" (Chefoo)—Tin Chun Ping „ Ko.....	—	—
" Small—Hoi Tong.....	—	—
" Custard—Fan Lai Chi	each	—
Bananas, fragrant, Canton—Sang Sheng Heung Chiu	—	2
" (brides), Macao—San Heung Chiu.....	—	10
Chestnuts, Chinese—Foong Lut.....	—	2
Carambola—Yeung Tou	—	—
Cocoanuts—Yeh Tsz	each	12
Grapes—Sin Fat	lb	10
Lemon—Chai Ning Moong.....	—	—
Lichees, Dried—Lai Chi Con	—	15
" Fresh, Small stone—Chut Wat Lai Chi	—	—
" Large „ —Tai Wat	—	—
" Lai Chi	—	—
Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong	each	6
" Mango, Manila—Lut Song Moong.....	—	—
" Mango, Saigon—Sai Kung Moong	—	—
" Mangosteens, San Chuk Tsz	doz	—
Oranges, (Canton)—Sang Sheng Tin Chang	—	6
" Small—Tai Koo	—	8
" Mandarin—Tin Kuo	—	—
Olives—Pak Lam	lb	4
" Pears, (American)—Kam San Shut Li „ (Canton), Cooking—Sa Li	—	—
" (Shanghai)—Sheung Hoi Li	—	10
Pine-apples, 1st quality—Sheung Poon Ti Paw-law	each	5
" 2nd cooking—Chung-tang	—	—
" Paw-law	—	—
Peanuts,—Fa Sang	—	10
Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie	—	—
Pumelo, Siam—Chim Lo Yau	—	9
Platams,—Tai Chen	—	—

Winnies, (French) Macao—Oh Moon Pin	Tau	7
VEGETABLES, &c.		
Artichokes, Shanghai—Sheung Hoi Ah	Chi Chai	lb
Beans, (French) Macao—Oh Moon Pin	Tau	7
Beans, (French) Shanghai—Sheung Hoi	Pin Tau	7
Beans, Sprout—Ah Choi		3
Beans Long—Tau Kok		2
Boat Root—Hung Choi Tau		each
Brinjals, Green—Cheng Yuen Ker		2
Brinjals, Red—Hung Ker		3
Brassica—Pak Choi		3
Bamboo Shoots—Chook Shun		12
Cabbage, Chinese, con—Kai Choy		6
Cabbage Root—Kai Lan Tau		each
Cabbage, (Shanghai)—Yeh Choi		6
Cane Shoots, bunch—Kau Shun		10
Cauliflower, Large size—Tai Yeh Choi	Fa	10
Cauliflower, Medium size—Cheung Yeh	Choi-fa	each
Cauliflower, Small size—Sai Yeh Choi-fa		each
Carrots—Kam Shun		6
Celery, Chinese—Tong Kan Choy		4
Celery, English—Yeung Kan Choi		4
Celery, White—Pak Yeung Kan Choi		20
Chilies Dried—Con Lat Chiu		2
" Red—ung Fa		1
" Green—Cheng Lat Chiu		1
Curry Stuff, English—Ka Lee Choi Liu		1
Cucumbers—Cheng Kwa		6
Bitter Squash—Fu Kwa		6
Garlic—Suen Tau		6
Ginger, young—Sun Tsu Keung		6
" old—Lo Keung		6
Horse Radish, Shanghai—Lik Kan		16
Indian Corn—Suk Mai		1
Lettuce—Yeung Sang Choi		1
Water Chestnuts—Ma Tai		4
" Mandarin—Kwei Lum Ma Tai		5
Mushrooms Fresh—Sang Cho Kho		8
Onions, Bombay—Yeung Chung Tau		15
" Green—Sang Chong		15
" Shai—Sheung Hoi Chung Tau		15
Japan—Yat Poon		15
Okroes—Mo Ker		1
Parley, English—Yeung Un Sai		1
Green Peas—Cheng Tsai		3
Potatoes, Sweet—Fan Shu		3
" Shanghai—Sheung Hoi Shu		3
" Tsai		3
" Japan—Yat Poon Shu Tsai		3
" American—Fa Ki		3
" Foochow—Fuk Chau Shu Tsai		3
Pumpkin—Toong Kwa		2
Radish—Hung Lo Pak Tsai		2
Shalots—Con Chung Tau		4
Spinage (Chinese)—Paw Choi		4
Spinage—Yin Choi		5
Tomatoes—Fan Ker		5
Taros—Wu Tau		3
Turnips, Pun-ll (Long)—Low Pak		3
" English—Yeung Low Pak		3
Vegetable Marrow—Chi Kwa		5
Waters Cress—Sai Yeung Choi		5
Yams—Tai Shu		4

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Inspector in charge of Markets.

THE SHARE MARKET.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

(FEBRUARY 9th.)

STOCKS.	PAID UP VALUE.	LAST DIVIDEND.	LATEST QUOTATION.
BANKS.			
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	\$ 125	Div. of £1.10/- @ ex. 1/84 = \$17.56 for half-year ending 30/6/1902	\$710
National Bank of China, Limited	£ 8	3/11 on A. shares for 1902	\$221 buyers
Do. Founders	£ 1	\$1.96 on B. shares for 1902	\$70
		(None on Founder shares)	
MARINE INSURANCES.			
Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited	\$ 100	60 per cent = \$30 per share for 1901	\$475 buyers
China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 25	16 1/2 % = \$1 for year ended 30/4/1902	\$50 sales
North China Insurance Company, Limited	£ 25	Final of 4 % making in all 8 % for 1901	Tails 180
Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited	\$ 60	10 % = \$1 for 1900	\$1321
Canton Insurance Office, Limited	\$ 50	28 % = \$14 per share for 1901	\$1621 sellers
FIRE INSURANCES.			
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$35 per share for 1900	\$315
China Fire Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 20	\$5 per share for 1900	\$851 sales
SHIPPING.			
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Company, Limited	\$ 15	\$14 for half-year ending 31/12/1902	\$35 ex div. buyers
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited	£ 10	Fin. of 12/- making £1 per share for 1901	\$89 buyers
China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited	\$ 25	10 % for 1900	\$231 buyers
Douglas Steamship Company, Limited	\$ 50	Div. of \$3 per share for year ended 30/6/1902	\$44
"Star" Ferry Company, Limited	\$ 15	\$1.20 = 12 % for year ending 30/4/01	\$251 buyers
"Shell" Transport and Trading Company, Limited	£ 1	30 cts.	\$14
Shanghai Tug Boat Company, Limited	Tails 100	2nd Interim of 9d. making 2/- for 1901	£1 10/-
Taku Tug and Lighter Company, Limited	Tails 100	3rd Interim of Tls. 5 for 1902	Tails 285 sellers
Shanghai Cargo Boat Company, Limited	Tails 100	Interim of 2 %	Tails 51 buyers
Co-operative Cargo Boat Company, Limited	Tails 100	Interim of 6 % for 1901	Tails 145 buyers
		Interim of 6 % for 1901	Tails 145 buyers
REFINERIES.			
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited	\$ 100	Fin. of \$7 making \$12 for 1901	\$98 sales
Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited	\$ 100	\$3 per share for 1897	\$12
Perak Sugar Cultivation Company, Limited	Tails 50	Fin. of 7 % making 12 % for the year	Tails 70 sellers
MINING.			
Punjom Mining Company, Limited	\$ 11	None	\$2 buyers
Punjom Mining Preference Shares	\$ 1	None	75 cents sellers
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin	Francs 250	Int. of Frs. 30 per share for 1901	\$600 sellers
Jelebu Mining and Trading Company, Limited	\$ 5	5 % for 1/2 year end. 31/7/94 (Coupon 9)	\$11 sellers
Raub All'ian Gold Mining Company, Limited	£ 18s. 10d.	No. 12 of 1/- per share	\$71 sellers
Chinese Engineering & Mining Company, Ltd.	£ 1	7 1/2 % = 1/6 per share (Coupon No. 1)	Tails 8.60 buyers
DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS.			
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited	\$ 50	Div. of 10 % and bonus of 4 % for half-year ending 30/6/02	\$2071 sales
S. G. Farnham, Boyd & Co., Ltd.	Tails 100	Interim of Tls. 7	Tails 1821 sellers
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited	\$ 50	Interim of \$2 for 1902	\$93 buyers
New Amoy Dock Company, Limited	\$ 60	\$2 1/2 for 1901	\$40 sellers
Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf & Godown Company, Limited	Tails 100	Interim of Tls. 6 for 1902	Tails 310 sellers
LANDS, HOTELS AND BUILDINGS.			
China Provident Loan and Mortgage Company, Limited	\$ 10	8 % = 80 cents per share for 1902	\$9 sales
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	\$ 100	Final of \$6 making \$12 for 1902	\$178 sellers
Kowloon Land and Building Company, Ltd.	\$ 30	\$2.30 per share for 1902	\$291 buyers
West Point Building Company, Limited	\$ 50	Final of \$1.60 making \$3.10 for 1902	\$52 buyers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$6 for first half-year 1902	\$143
Oriente Hotel Company, Limited (Manila)	\$ 50	8 % = \$4 for half-year ending 31/12/1900	\$30
Astor House Hotel Co., Limited (Shanghai)	\$ 25	15 % for half-year ending 31/12/01	\$30 sales
Hotel des Colonies Co., Ltd. (Shanghai)	Tails 25	First year	Tails 161 buyers
Queen's Hotel (Wei-hai-wei)	Tails 25	First year	Tails 25
Humphreys Estate and Finance Company, Limited	\$ 10	9 per cent. for 1902	\$11 ex div. buyers
Shanghai Land Investment Company, Limited	Tails 50	Interim of 5 % for 1902	Tails 106 buyers
COTTON MILLS.			
Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited	\$ 10	Final of 60 cents making \$1 per share	\$17 sellers
Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited	Tails 100	3 % for period end. 31/10/97	Tails 391
International Cotton Manufacturing Company, Limited	Tails 100	Interim of 3 % on account of 1898	Tails 40
Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited	Tails 100	Int. div. of 4 % on acct. of 1898 on 6,000 shares	Tails 44
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	Tails 500	4 % for period end. 31/12/00	Tails 150
CIGAR AND TOBACCO COMPANIES.			
Alhambra, Limited	\$ 500	25 % for year ending 30.6.1900	\$350 sellers
Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Limited	\$ 50	None	\$30 sellers
Shanghai-Sumatra Tobacco Company	\$ 20	Interim of \$2 per share	Tails 45 sales
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Green Island Cement Company, Limited	\$ 10	10 % = \$1 per share for 1901	\$201 buyers
China-Noroco Company, Limited	\$ 15	10 % = \$1.50 for 1901	\$23 sellers
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	\$ 10	Interim of 5 % for 1902	\$14 buyers
Watkins, Limited	\$ 10	90 cents per share for 1901	\$8 sales
Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	\$ 10	80 cents for year ending 30/4/1902	\$131 buyers
Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	\$ 5	40 cents for year ending 30/4/1902	\$6.85
Hongkong and China Gas Company, Limited	£ 10	10 % div. and 1 % bonus for 1901	\$140 buyers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$10 for 1902	\$110 ex div.
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited	\$ 25	15 per cent = \$3.75 for 1901	\$50 sellers
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	\$ 25	Final of \$12, making \$16 for 1902	\$240 sales
Hongkong High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	\$ 100	\$18 for year ending 31/11/1902	\$327 buyers
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	\$ 6	75 cents for year ending 31/7/1902	\$11 buyers
Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited	\$ 50	5 per cent = \$2 1/2 for 1901	\$40 sellers
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	\$ 10	Div. of \$2 1/2 and bonus of \$2 1/2 for 1901	\$35
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	£ 12s. 6d.	80 cents per share	\$1 buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agcy, Limited	\$ 4	\$19.80 per share	\$81 sellers
Do. Founders	\$ 10	Interim of \$1.20 per share	\$155
Universal Trading Co., Limited	\$ 20	Final of 6 % making 12 % for the year	\$122 sales
Hongkong Steam Water-boat Co., Limited	\$ 10	None	\$118 sellers
China Light and Power Co., Limited	\$ 20	5 % = \$2 1/2 for half-year 1901	\$10 buyers
Robinson Piano Co., Limited	\$ 50	None	\$10
Manila Investment Co., Limited	\$ 50	None	\$15 buyers
William Powell, Limited	\$ 10	Final of 50 cents making \$1 per share	\$91 buyers
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January 24th.

R. G. HECKFORD,
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